

SAYVILLE SEPTA NEWS LETTER

Special Education Parent Teacher Association

September/October 2015

☐ Welcome Back!

We hope you all enjoyed a memory-filled and relaxing summer! It is going to be a fantastic new school year filled with new speakers, fun events and we want YOU to be a part of it all.

Please come join us at our first SEPTA meeting for 2015-2016 and see what all of the buzz is about...

October 13, 2015 at 7:30 pm

**Sayville High School
Student Lounge**

☐ Joseph Volpe, Ph.D., Clinical Psychologist and School Psychologist will speak on **Executive Functioning and ADHD: The Pathway to Success for Children, Parents and Educators.**

Dr. Volpe will discuss strategies that can be used to help children improve self-control, time management, working memory and other areas.

☐ **Mark your calendars and come join us!**

Any questions/comments send along to Sayville SEPTA@gmail.com

SEPTA KUDOS AWARD

Once again this year, we will take notice of the many wonderful acts made by the staff members working in our schools. Whether it's offering words of encouragement or giving of one's personal time to support a student in need, no act is too small to be recognized. We ask that you help us in celebrating these staff members by nominating any individual that you feel impacts special education in a positive way.

Each month, nominated individuals will be announced in our newsletter and receive a certificate of appreciation at our SEPTA meeting. At our End of Year dinner, all individuals will again be congratulated for all their outstanding work!

We need your help as we look for nominations from parents, district employees, community members, etc. Please send an email with your nomination to Erin Hynes at SayvilleKudos1@gmail.com. Be sure to include the person's name, position, school and a few sentences explaining why you are nominating this individual.

Please nominate today!

DID YOU KNOW?

Our 2015-2016 Sayville SEPTA board members are as follows:

Kim Lagonigro, President
Lisa Moynihan, Vice President
Sarah Orlando, Treasurer
Jodi Colburn, Corresponding Secretary
Erin Hynes, Rec Secretary



Extra, Extra, Read All About It!

SEPTA Spirit Wear...Our annual spirit wear fundraiser is in full swing with a NEW VENDOR! We are so excited with the many choices and colors this year! All orders are due by October 9th. Pick up will be from 6 to 7:30 p.m. on November 10th in the High School cafeteria hallway. Send in your order forms to your child's main office in an envelope marked Attn: SEPTA or mail your order forms to SEPTA, 99 Greeley Avenue, Sayville, NY 11782. Any questions, call Kim at 218-2757 or SayvilleSEPTA@gmail.com

2015-2016 Memberships...Want to be a part of a wonderful, district-wide PTA? Send your membership into your child's main office or mail to **Sayville SEPTA**, 99 Greeley Avenue, Sayville, NY 11782. This year you will receive a membership eCard via your email.

Are you on Facebook? Check out Sayville SEPTA on Facebook and come join our closed group!